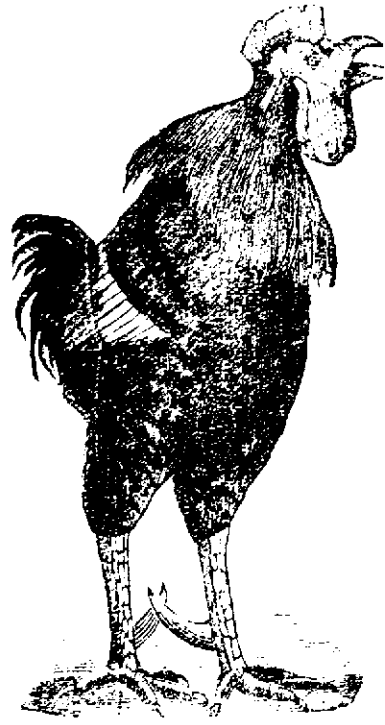


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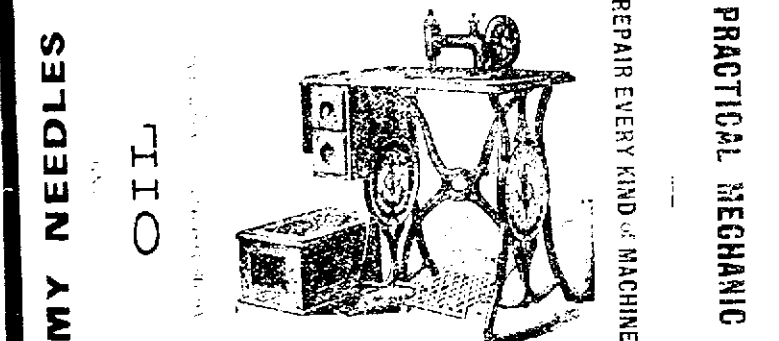
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In STRAW HATS of all grades.
Largest stock in the city to select from.
MANILLA HATS, all grades, cheap—
\$2.50 to \$3.50.
Large line of ALPACA COATS, \$1 up.
Also all styles of WHITE VESTS at Reduced Price.
We have an immense stock of SUMMER GOODS which will be sold cheap for cash.

CALL AND EXAMINE.
J. R. RACE & CO.

THE GENUINE "SINGER!"

Call on the name of Singer for the Sewing Machine in any place.



EVERYTHING STRICTLY FIRST CLASS AT THE
New Singer Office, 53 Opera Block, Decatur, Ill.
GEO. P. BLUME.

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MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms.

GOVERNMENT BONDS:

AT THE LOWEST MARKET RATES.

W. A. MYER.

MYER & SON, PAINTERS

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Papering and Tinting.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF ILLINOIS.

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARGARET C. ELLIOTT.

Notice is hereby given that there is a case...

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KINNEY'S AGENCY

At Van Buren Office.

1st Door West of Postoffice.

HAS FOR SALE,

Very cheap Building Lots.

St. Joseph, Kansas City, Mo.

Residence Property, in possession of...

Chas. H. Kinney, Agent.

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MAN AND HIS BUTT.

This Method of Sewing Them On, and

Difficulties Encountered.

Did you ever see a man in the solitude

and privacy of his study attempt to sew

on a button by hand? If he, in all its

homeliness in the world, first he looks

for a button. Generally, to secure it, he

rides a horse to pay Paul, and ends from

another garment. This button may be

much larger or much smaller than the

size he is wearing. Next he hunts a

needle. Probably he goes out and buys a

paper of needles. He always chooses

the largest needles, having an impression

that large needles will sew stronger than

small needles. As to thread, he gets the

strongest he can find, and this he doubles.

He would thread this needle. He takes

his big needle in his right hand and his

thread in his left. Then he tries to

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POPULAR SCIENCE.

To read that goats are not affected

by measles.

A solution of chloride of calcium will

not hold under 35°.

The cranium of man is to the cranium

of woman as 100 to 86.7.

The temperature of the sun is esti-

mated to be 9,967° Centigrade.

Savannas of the Australian eucalypt

grows to the height of fifty feet in ten

years.

Ox starch, grape sugar and cane

sugar gastric juice has no perceptible

effect.

Ostrichologists differ entirely on the

question as to whether parrots require

water.

Turn older Pliny states that the num-

ber of stars visible to the naked eye in

his time was 1,690.

It is said that Paterson, N. J., silk

weavers have invented a process of

making imitation of sea silk.

Of 1,000 ounces of healthy human

blood, 781.5 ounces consist of water and

218.5 ounces of solid matter.

Peasprings trees, like the pine, trans-

pire twice as much as other trees, and

when they are exposed to moist air,

absorb more water.

Seeds of the *Victoria Regia* had to

be transmitted from America to England

in water, before the first plant was raised

that came to perfection.

Peasprings dissolved in mytha is used

to treat silk and other fabrics, and it is

said the most delicate hues of

material thus prepared will not be in-

jured by ice cream or any foreign sub-

stances.

A botanical work on the flora Scan-

dinavia, Greenland and Iceland, is being

published at the expense of the King of

Denmark. The seventeenth volume, to

be issued in a year, will complete the

series.

The amount of heat radiated from the

sun is so great that if the earth were a

pane of glass and could be supplied by

contract to the solar furnace men, the

supply would last them just thirty-six

hours.

There was at one time exhibited by

Mr. Holt, an English merchant, a thread

20,000 feet long, made by twenty-two

silk spiders in less than two hours, and

which was five times as fine as the

thread of the silk worm.

Sensible Decision at the Last

Moment.

A clergyman, on asking the bride if

she would have him, was startled at

her reply, "No, sir, I was a little late

getting to the church; it wasn't my

fault, but I'm late, I'm late, I'm late."

"This is the way you begin, you'll find it

to your cost when you're my wife."

Under those circumstances she concluded

she wouldn't do his wife. She repeated

in haste, and will marry at leisure.

Two coppers. The crescent shape of the

first quarter of the moon hung like an

electric lamp in the Western sky, casting

a subdued, cool light upon the path

they had chosen. They walked with

show and measured step and half little.

The scene was ravishingly beautiful. At

last one, looking up into his face with a

sort of a scared-death look, young

fawn look, "Albert, how many walls like

this we've taken?" "Yes, Richard, like

this we've taken."

THE GOLDEN RULE, DO UNTO OTHERS AS YOU WOULD HAVE OTHERS DO UNTO YOU!

Has always been the maxim adopted by

B. STINE, the Boss Clothier.

His success in business as a reliable Clothier cannot be disputed, not even by his competitors. And while the trade in general is complaining about dullness, our business for the past season has been increasing.

OUR PREPARATIONS FOR THIS FALL'S TRADE ARE IMMENSE!

We are Receiving, Daily, New Supplies of Nobby and Well Made

Fall Clothing!

WHICH FOR

STYLE,

NEATNESS IN CUT,

—AND—

TRIMMINGS,

Cannot be Excelled by Any House in the United States.

WE WILL GUARANTEE

Our Prices to be Lower

THAN ANY OF OUR COMPETITORS.

Come and convince yourself.

B. STINE, THE "BOSS" CLOTHIER.

Aug. 5, 1882—dft

IRON ROOFING.

SMITH, HALDEMAN & CHANDLER'S
COMBINED CAP AND ANCHOR IRON ROOFING.

It is WATER-PROOF.
It is FIRE-PROOF.
It is LIGHTNING-PROOF.

It is more durable than tin or slate, and cheaper than either. It is suitable for any style of building.

MANUFACTURED AT THE

Corner of Water and Cerro Gordo Streets,

Where orders will be received and promptly executed by

ROBERT McCLELLAND.

April 15—dft

VIENNA BREAD.

The Genuine Article manufactured every

A. O. Brewer's Bakery

25 North Main Street.

I have in my employ a first-class baker, who

has had long experience in baking all kinds of

Fancy Bread, and I have, at large expense,

imported from Vienna the best and most

perfect machinery for making the genuine

Vienna Bread.

Try this Vienna Bread and you will see it is

the best and most perfect ever eaten.

So what and free the bread from the

bread is still up to the standard of

the best and most perfect machinery for

making the genuine Vienna Bread.

Thinking the public for their increased

patronage, I have had my bread made in

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Basswood, Sycamore

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COTTONWOOD LOGS

Proposed, received at the Factory of the

subscribers.

Cor. Priest & South Franklin Sts.,

not directly.

Sound Logs 16 to 26

inches in diameter,

Delivered in length to suit.

Warren & Dwyer Manufacturing Co.

J. W. BAKER'S GREAT CLOSING - OUT SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES!

DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST
I will sell Boots and Shoes at
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

My old customers know that I always do exactly as I advertise; to new ones I would say, CALL AND EXAMINE and convince yourselves that I will give you BETTER GOODS FOR THE MONEY than you can get elsewhere.

This is no sale of cheap stuff, but it is a sale of the
VERY BEST GOODS IN THE MARKET
AT MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.

I will sell Gent's Fine Shoes, "Lilly, Brackett & Co." worth \$5.50, for \$4.50;
Ladies' Rochester Shoes, worth \$4.00, for \$3.25; \$3.00 Shoes for \$2.25; \$2.50 Shoes for \$2.00. Everything at Reduced Prices. Call and get Bargains.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.
J. W. BAKER'S,
18 EAST MAIN STREET.

The Daily Republican.

An Illinois Man in Cincinnati.
Mr. Henry E. Miller, of Springfield, Ill., the other day created a sensation at a meeting of distillers and others, in Cincinnati. I am a report of his speech we get this.

The people are crazy on prohibition. I to day would not trust to a vote of the people of Illinois. [Mr. Miller belongs to Springfield, Ill.] If they were cool and collected we could beat them, but the way the people have taken hold of the temperance and prohibition question is a caution. If the legislature ever submit the question, I, for one, would not be responsible for the result. But the temperance folk are setting up their own ticket, and that is just what I want them to do, for they can't elect it and we want to keep them from affiliating with either the democrats or republicans, for then they won't have the strength of either to carry through measures. I am not going to change my politics on account of any temperance legislation. If we array the liquor interest against the republican party then the republican party can say to us when we ask anything of them, 'We are under no obligation to you.' If I keep to my party, then I can go to it and use my influence against temperance and prohibitory legislation, but if I leave it because I don't like the attitude of the party on the question, then the party can say, 'You left us, and now we don't care for you go to the democrats.' In Illinois we are dangerously opposed to mixing up our business with politics. [Somebody of a sensation.] I am speaking plain, and I am speaking to the distillers of Cincinnati. The democratic party have been more favorable to the liquor interest than have the republican party [laughter] but at the same time we have a good many men in the republican party who don't believe in prohibition.

True to her Trust.
To much cannot be said of the ever faithful wife and mother, constantly watching and caring for her dear ones, never forgetting a duty to their heads. When they are sick, she is by their side, and the system should have a thorough cleaning, the stomach and bowels regulated, blood purified, and natural vigor restored. She must know that Dr. J. C. Williams' Pink Pills are the only sure remedy. They are the best and purest medicine in the world and cost only fifty cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swanson.

A General Stampedo
Never was such a stampede made for any drug store as in the Hubbard & Swanson's New Dispensary for Consumption Coughs and Colds. All persons afflicted with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup, Whooping Cough, and all diseases of the lungs. In proof call at Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary and get a trial bottle of this at once by mailing the above drug stamp.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve
The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Itch, Swelling, Piles, Hemorrhoids, and all skin diseases. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swanson.

The World Still Moves
Notwithstanding the world still exists. The people will live longer if they use Dr. J. C. Williams' Pink Pills, which subdues and cures coughs, colds, consumption, whooping cough, and all diseases of the lungs. In proof call at Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary and get a trial bottle of this at once by mailing the above drug stamp.

A World Wants Proof
The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof, and not in chewing the string which binds it. Therefore, take Dr. J. C. Williams' Pink Pills. It cures all blood disorders, rapid liver, sick headache, constipation, and all diseases of the digestive organs. The best remedy for all these ailments. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary and get a trial bottle of this at once by mailing the above drug stamp.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve
The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, sores, and all other skin diseases. Will positively cure piles, hemorrhoids, and all skin eruptions. Satisfactory guarantee of money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary.

THE SPRING SUIT QUESTION
Let us continue this subject while it is new upon your mind. A very few of our hand now have come within a few weeks' direct from our Chicago factory. New styles and shapes for men, boys, and children, that will prove a genuine and agreeable surprise to many. We are fit, future, and particularly of the price.

Summer Complaint
For chills in infants, teething, summer complaint, diphtheria, and all other ailments, use our Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a sure cure for all these ailments. Price 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary.

Remedies
Linn & Scroggs have furnished with carpets nearly every new house in Decatur within the last five years—and sold more carpets last year than was ever sold in Decatur in any year.

An Old Friend
He was afflicted with a lame back and general debility, he was recommended to use Chamberlain's Kidney and Bladder Remedy. It cured him at once. This famous specific is a positive remedy for bodily pain.

We will sell Black and Colored, Silks, Cheaper Than Any Merchant in Decatur CAN BUY THEM ON SPECIAL ORDERS. Make us responsible for what they say. feb13-dw

But your clothing wears and wears they have the best assortment and lowest prices, at CLOTHING'S RENOWNED ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE. m11-dw

Men's fine new shoes, all styles, at 15-dw. BARBER & BAKER'S

40,000 PEOPLE COMING TO DECATUR TO SEE 22 TRAINED Elephants

WITH THE GREATEST OF ALL THE GREAT
FOREPAUGH SHOW,
—INCLUDING—
BOLIVAR LARGEST AND HEAVIEST ELEPHANT IN THE WORLD



WILL EXHIBIT AFTER NOON AND EVENING, AT
DECATUR, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23.

1,200 MEN AND HORSES, 1,000 WILD BEASTS and MANY BIRDS.
ALL THE SHOWS ON EARTH COMBINED.
BOLIVAR, LARGEST and HEAVIEST ELEPHANT KNOWN TO EXIST
ALBION SPEEDING 60 MILES AN HOUR ON A 9 FEET HIGH PICKET
FOUR GREAT CIRCUS RINGS!
SEATS FOR 20,000 IN THE CLOUD-TOWERING PAVILIONS
PELLEUS, POETIC PRINCELY GRAND GORGEOUS FEET
CARNIVAL OF THE FUTURE
CLEOPATRA, Queen of Egypt!
LALLA ROOKH, Princess of Delhi,
HANDSOMEST WOMAN IN AMERICA
3 GREAT BANDS OF MUSIC
ADAM FOREPAUGH

CHANCERY SALE

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE
BY ORDER OF THE CHANCERY COURT
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF DECATUR, MISSOURI
ON the 1st day of August, 1882, at 10 o'clock A.M., I will sell at public auction, for the benefit of the creditors of the late J. W. BAKER, deceased, all the real estate of said deceased, to-wit: A certain lot of land, situated in the City of Decatur, Missouri, containing about 1/2 acre, more or less, bounded as follows: On the north by the lot of J. W. BAKER, deceased; on the south by the lot of J. W. BAKER, deceased; on the east by the lot of J. W. BAKER, deceased; on the west by the lot of J. W. BAKER, deceased. The above described real estate is sold subject to the payment of the debts of said deceased, and the balance of the proceeds of the sale to be paid to the heirs of said deceased.

THE VERY BEST!
HAND-MADE
Buggy Harness.
J. W. TYLER,
South Side City Park
WE BEAT THEM ALL!

Solid Comfort
J. C. WISE & CO.'s
New Furniture Store
West Side of the Old Square
Splendid Goods and Low Prices.

INCREASE YOUR CAPITAL.
\$10
\$20
\$50
STOCKS
\$100
WALKER & WALKER,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
Office in J. W. BAKER'S building, opposite the Court House, and all business conducted and collections made in any part of the United States.
June-24-dw

BARGAINS!

I WILL
CLOSE OUT
My stock of
Millinery, Notions, Ladies' Furnishing Goods
FOR THE NEXT
30 DAYS
AT
FIRST COST!

NO. 28 East Main St.,
DECATUR, MISSOURI
MRS. K. EINSTEN
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE
TRADE MARK
BEFORE TAKING. AFTER TAKING.
This medicine is a sure cure for all diseases of the stomach and bowels, and for all other ailments. Price 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary.

FARMS FOR SALE!
E. O. SMITH
PORTION OF HIS FARMING LAND
SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF DECATUR, MISSOURI
GEO. W. BRIGHT,
DECATUR, MISSOURI

W. H. GRINDOL.
Dealers in kinds of
AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE
For all kinds of work, such as monuments, headstones, and all other marble work. Price 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoen's Dispensary.

LAWNS!

Good, Fast Colors, at 3 1/2 cents.
12 1/2 Cent Dress Gingham at 6 1/2 cents.
Good Lace Bunting, all Wool Fillings, at 6 1/2 cts.
Gent's and Ladies' Gauze Underwear 20 cents each, or five garments for \$1.00.

REMNANTS
Black and Colored Dress Silks & Trimmings
AT VERY REDUCED PRICES.

DRY GOODS and NOTIONS
At Prices that Cannot be Duplicated Elsewhere.
POPULAR NEW YORK STORE.

SAFE
A Novel and Portable Case for Berofta
Safe, strong, and fireproof.
A discovery has recently been made which adds lustre to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract of Dr. J. M. Loomis & Co., Monroe, Mich. who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand for safe by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial
Toronto, Onto, Jan 17, 1882
J. M. Loomis & Co., Monroe, Mich.
To the Editor—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Rad Clover. I am happy to say she is now completely cured. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully,
Feb 3, 1882—J. H. ARMS

Our People's Favorite Clothing is CHAPLAIN'S. Because it is made of the best material, and is so varied and fashionable. Because his salesmen are so obliging and gentlemanly, and take so much time and pains to please his customers. It is an acknowledged fact that nearly all well-dressed young men, boys, and children are fitted out at the Fashionable Clothing Emporium of CHAPLAIN.

JOSEPH DERRINGBROOK, Broadway, Buffalo was induced by his brother to try THOMAS LEECH'S OIL for a sprained ankle and with half a dozen applications he was enabled to walk round again all right.

WATKINS SHOES for \$1.00 at Barber & Bakers.
April 15-dw

BUTTERICK'S Spring Fashions and Publications at hand. Linn & Scroggs
4-12-22-dw

Agents Can Make
\$5 to \$10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaster Combined." No capital required, and quick sale. We want agents in every town in the United States.
J. T. HAND & CO'S
merch13-dw

150 pieces new Hendrew and Canton Dress Gingham just received, and will be sold at 9c a yard. Also, 100 pieces good Gingham in dress styles, just received, at 8c per yard.
Linn & Scroggs
April 15-dw

LADIES Kid Button Boots, soft, light, sold at 75c a pair.
BARBER & BAKER'S
April 15-dw

WATKINS' SAFF KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE.
15-dw

95 PER CENT.
I have been using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for some time, and I can truly say that it is a most valuable medicine. It has cured me of all my ailments, and I feel much stronger and healthier than I have been for many years. I am very much indebted to Dr. Williams for this most valuable medicine.
J. H. ARMS

There are no departments in my goods which deserve more consideration than I do than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who have not seen my stock of goods, and price before, purchase elsewhere. He will not be unduly sold. Shop in the old New York building, northwest corner City Park, Decatur, Ill. Jan 14-03

Administrator's Notice.
FURTHER NOTICE is given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Peter Dunn, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Madison County, to be held at the Court House in the City of Decatur, on the 1st Monday of October, A. D. 1882, at 10 o'clock A.M. and on the last day of said term.
Decatur, Ill. August 24, 1882
MAY DUNN, Administrator

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